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EASTERN NEWS.

[BY TELEGRAPH TO THE OREGONIAN]

Effect of the Failure of the Bank of California in New York.

NEW YORK, Aug 27—Financial and commercial circles were thrown into a state of the greatest excitement, at the opening, by the report of the suspension of the Bank of California, and for a time the utmost confusion existed in the Gold and Stock Exchanges, the prices rising plump to 14¼ while stocks declined 1 to 2 per cent on the free pressure of sales. At the opening of the Stock Exchange there was a rush to sell and for a time the noise and din was equal to a first class panic occasion. A reasonably fair idea of the immense business and din and racket attending it may be formed when it is stated that up to the opening of the board the amount of shares transactions reached over 8 1 000. The anxiety to sell at first was marked and prices dropped quickly and severely. After this sudden decline however, a number of strong buyers stepped into the market and before the board closed there was a sudden rally. Lake Shore moving up to 64 Northwest Com to 41½ St. Paul Com to 3½ the preferred to 63 ⅛ Pacific Mail 3½ and Western Union to 8[illegible]. The news of the suspension of the Bank of California this morning produced considerable excitement among depositors and the creditors generally of that institution in this city. The offices of Laidlaw & Co., agents of the bank in this city, have, since the opening of the house at an early hour been thronged with anxious inquirers. In obedience to instructions received by telegraph no checks were cashed. The senior member of the firm was asked for information concerning the condition of the bank and the affairs of Laidlaw & Co independently of the agency for the Bank of California but he replied he could say nothing. Among the visitors and anxious to obtain money for paper were four or five Chinamen, who persisted in lingering about the store. They had been assured that their paper could only be cashed in San Francisco on presentation at the bank.

Fisk & Hatch say the bank had no interest as investors in the Central Pacific railroad. The secretary of the company is in this city and confirms this statement, but says the Central Pacific railroad had an account with the bank and had made loans from it. He had not heard that the condition of the bank had been considered unsound by bankers. Persons interested in affairs of the bank are positive in their assertion that the bank will after a short time be able to fully satisfy all of its creditors.

Cause of the Failure.

The failure of the Bank of California while immediately caused by the depositors run was directly the outcome of a conflict between two classes of California speculators—one of the Bank of California party headed by Mr Ralston and Mr Sharon the other headed by Flood & O'Brien and Heydenfelt. The latter party have established a bank in San Francisco called the Bank of Nevada, with a cash capital of five million dollars gold and the right to increase to twenty millions. Incidental to this right they have been mining the property known as Savage the Caledonia the California the Ophir and the Con Virginia. The three latter are known as the big bonanza mines and the Bank of California partly obtained control of them in getting this control the stock of California ran up from $60 to $800. It was then multiplied by five which would make the highest price $160. It has since declined to $63. The Ophir stock while they were getting control advanced from $60 to $700 and was multiplied by five making one share represent $140 in new stock. It has since declined to $41. The Consolidated Virginia, during the process of getting control advanced from $86 to $780. It was yesterday 267. That the bank has been making strains of late, and been pinched, has been evident to bankers here, who have shunned their bills from the fact that in the past 60 days most of the bills offered in this market have been those of other institutions indorsed by the Bank of California. Their inference has been that the Bank of California had hypothecated securities with those who lent their bills, and that this borrowed exchange was used to obtain funds needed to carry on the large operations of the bank. In the borrowed bills which have so appeared were those of the Bank of British Columbia and the Bank of British North America. The amount of unaccepted bills of the Bank of California in this market is small. The bank's London correspondents were the Oriental Bank, a strong unlimited institution, one of the best in the land having a capital of £10 000 000 and a reserve of £500,000 so that the direct losses of the failure here are comparatively small. Most of the decline in the stock market previously noted has been recovered Panama excepted. The weakness in Panama was occasioned by the impression that the stock is largely held in San Francisco. Laidlaw & Co., agents here of the Bank of California have not suspended but are paying everything but the Bank of California obligations.

NEW YORK Aug 27—A special dispatch from San Francisco says exchanges are all closed and business is in a state of suspension. Intense excitement is prevailing. Gold dropped to 13¾.

Further from New York Concerning the Failure.

NEW YORK Aug 27—The agency of the Bank of California here had paid a large sum of money due Robt. McLane before receiving the order to stop payment.

Editorially commenting on the failure of the Bank of California the *Evening Post* says: Had the bank followed a legitimate banking business its strength might have been as enduring as time but its failure shows that even the strongest must conform to laws which experience has prescribed or must submit to the inevitable penalties which follow a departure from them. The Bank of California has simply abused its credit and has been overtaken by the consequences. Losses in the Eastern states will be chiefly by reason of the purchase of sterling bills of the bank. These will be limited to unaccepted bills which the bank drew on the Bank of London, a financial institution of undoubted strength. Bills of the Bank of California were prime in San Francisco and rated next to prime in this market. The failure of the bank will probably be used by inflationists as an illustration showing that there can be financial disasters where the currency is hard money.

The *Commercial Advertiser* says "The failure of the Bank of California was not a surprise to us. We had known for some little time past of numerous thorns in the path of the chief manager Ralston and his rich clique—not the least of which was their rapidly sinking credit as foreign bill drawers. Their recent sales of sterling in this market were on borrowed bills of English colonial banks and of the London and San Francisco Bank which they endorsed to New York buyers of colonial bank notes. The British North America and the Bank of British Columbia advanced considerable sums of exchange but our advices here are to the effect that they were careful to take ample collateral. The London and San Francisco is managed by Milton S Latham whose local knowledge of securities advanced ought to protect his London principals against ultimate loss. The London and East Indies correspondent of the Bank of California is the Oriental Banking Corporation an old and influential concern not likely we should suppose to give expressive open credits to Ralston. Indeed it seems that his transatlantic if not his Oriental facilities were practically checked if not exhausted of late and hence his operations in exchange referred to in this market in endorsed bills of the Bank of California.

A Robbed Savings Bank Suspends

WINTHROP Me. Aug 26—The savings bank in this village, recently robbed will be closed at once and placed in the hands of a receiver. It is believed depositors will receive 45 per cent, payment on a large proportion of the stolen securities which have been stopped.

Mississippi Valley Trading Co

ST LOUIS, Aug. 26.—The American board of directors of the Mississippi Valley Trading Company held a meeting here last night, at which Mr. Woodall managing director was instructed to visit Louisville, Kentucky with the view to establishing the central office of the company at that point. He was further instructed to visit all seaports from Norfolk to Galveston and report upon their desirability as ports of entry for the ships of the company. He was also requested to visit all railroads in the Mississippi valley and Gulf states and report on the facilities afforded by each for the transmission of merchandise and products and also on the most desirable centers for the operations of the company, and on agricultural mineral and other resources of the country through which the several railroads pass so as to enable the company to decide which are the most inviting fields for emigrants. The last of the English deputation left last night for England. The directors on this side of the water are E. R. Shankland of Dubuque Iowa, Judge John P Jones of Barton Ark, Rev. J. T. Berger, of New York, Dudley W Adams of Iowa, Col D. D. Aiken, of South Carolina and J. T. Smith of Georgia and there are several others yet to be appointed.

Resignation of the Grand Vizier

NEW YORK Aug [illegible]—A special cable from London states that news has been received of the resignation of the grand vizier of Turkey who will probably be succeeded by Mohammed.

Gold Sales

NEW YORK Aug 26—One million gold was awarded to-day at from 13 45 to 13 48.

Soldiers' National Reunion

COLUMBIA Ohio Aug 2[illegible]—Word comes here that final arrangements for the soldiers national reunion at Caldwell Ohio September 1st and 2d [illegible] are completed. It is expected that Generals Sheridan Logan and Negley and Governors Curtin and Hayes General Cockerill of Missouri Governor Allen of Ohio Hon Geo H Pendleton Senators Thurman and Sherman and Hon Geo W Morgan will address the camp. President Grant is confidently expected. A sword captured by General Cockerill from Colonel Archer at Tilton's Station Georgia will be return to its owner with imposing ceremonies. Many states have responded pledging large delegations.

Inspection of Erie.

NEW YORK Aug [illegible]—The committee appointed by the English bondholders and stockholders of the Erie railroad to make inspection of the main line and its branches began its labors to day and expect to be engaged three days.

Murdered by her Father

CINCINNATI Aug 26—Gustave Humber of Jamestown Ohio while intoxicated last evening attempted to kill his wife. She fled across the street to the house of a neighbor. Humber followed and made an unsuccessful effort to get in the house by breaking windows. He then threatened to return to his house and kill the child which was about 18 months old thinking this would induce his wife to come out but it failing to have any decided effect he returned to his house procured a table knife sharpened it on the stove took the infant from the arms of his little girl 12 years old laid it on the floor and deliberately cut its throat from ear to ear. He then threw the child and knife upon the bed and went back and told his wife what he had done. He was afterward arrested. He still regrets that he didn't kill his wife.

The Murderer of his Child.

CINCINNATI, Aug 27—A dispatch from Jamestown O last night stated that a mob had gathered around the jail where Gustave Humber the German who cut the throat of his infant child is confined and threatened to lynch him but the sheriff and posse had removed the prisoner to Xenia.

National Union League.

NEW YORK Aug 27—A dispatch from Philadelphia states that the executive committee of the National Union League of America held a secret session yesterday. The meeting was called to order at 1 and did not adjourn till 4. Ex Governor Newell of New Jersey presided. Measures were discussed looking to the organization of the League in the South and a vigorous prosecution of work against the Democracy in that section. The aid of all loyal whites who will agree to work with colored Republicans will be invoked. This meeting is preliminary to a large one to be held next month at which representatives from every state in the Union will be present. Several important measures for discussion were brought forward and a partial programme mapped out.

Collision on Lake Michigan—Ten Lives Lost

DETROIT Mich Aug 27—The Canadian steamer *Manitoba* collided with the ship *Comet* last evening about White Friar Point at 9 30 P M and sunk her immediately. Ten lives were lost and ten saved, including the captain and first mate. No one injured on the *Manitoba* and she is now bound down with survivors of the *Comet*.

SAULT STE MARIE Mich Aug 27—The steamer *Manitoba* of Beatty's line arrived here at 9 o'clock this morning having run back from White Fish point with the crew of the propeller *Comet*. Among the drowned are Bobey and Brown 1st and 2d engineers and nine others names unknown. The *Comet* was owned by Hanna & Co Cleveland. Valuation on underwriters register $35,000. The amount of insurance is unknown.

Great Loss by Fire.

MEMPHIS, Tenn Aug 26—About 12 o'clock last night the Memphis wood works on Georgia street, together with a large amount of lumber and valuable machinery were totally consumed. A stable belonging to the company in which were a number of wagons and seven mules was burned. So intense was the heat that some of the steam fire engines were nearly lost and were only saved by other engines playing on the men who extricated them and in doing this Capt. Roja and one of his men were severely burned. The fire was the work of an incendiary. Total loss about $[illegible]0 000.

Ohio Kuklux.

CINCINNATI Aug 26—On Tuesday evening, three masked horsemen visited the residence of Wm Mains a farmer living near New Haven. Mains was absent from home and the masked men who were under the influence of liquor took possession and appropriated such articles of value as they desired to their own use. They set fire to the house entirely destroying it with its contents. Mrs Mains fled for fear she should be murdered.

Shipment of Peaches.

PHILADELPHIA Aug 26—The steamship *Ohio* which sailed to day for Liverpool takes out 2 400 crates of Delaware peaches. The steerage of the ship has been turned into refrigerators and provided with fans for keeping up a constant current of cold air. This is the first venture of the kind.

An Eastern Financial Editor Speaking before the California Crisis.

NEW YORK Aug 2[illegible].—Norvell, the veteran financial editor said in yesterday's *Commercial Advertiser*: There is something of an uneasy feeling or rather vague suspicion as to the situation in certain banking quarters here and on the Pacific coast but on careful inquiry we do not find that anything has yet occurred to justify this concern in the direction indicated. The same authority says to-day referring to the rumored Pacific Coast telegraph company: We are afraid that a good many of the Pacific coast dollars will be found stuffed with straw before their five million hotels twenty million water works hundred million railroads and big bonanzas generally are all settled up. Some of their banks are kites with very long tails and it would be well for these rich men to pause in the mad career of their fancied prosperity before adding electricity to the movement.

Eight Negroes Killed in Mississippi.

VICKSBURG Aug 26—The *Herald's* special from Macon, Miss. 24th inst. says a riot occurred at New Hope church in which eight negroes were killed and several wounded. The cause of the riot was a quarrel between a white man and a negro about drum beating.

Efforts to Throw Duncan, Sherman & Co. into Bankruptcy.

NEW YORK Aug 26—Sidney Root, merchant, at No 60 Broadway has issued a circular asking the creditors of Duncan Sherman & Co to authorize [illegible] is taking necessary steps to throw that firm into bankruptcy. Mr Root to day said he had received favorable replies from persons representing claims to the amount of about $[illegible]00 000.

Gold and Stocks

NEW YORK Aug 26—Gold closed at 113 @ money 1½@ governments better stocks active and lower Pacific Mail 35⅝ Panama 115 Quicksilver 15 W U 83⅛ W F 80 N Y Central 104⅛ Erie 16 Union Pacific 72½ U P bonds 102½ C P bonds 10[illegible].

NEW YORK Aug 27—Gold closed at 13¾@13⅞ money 1½@2 governments rather better more doing stocks active and unsettled. Pacific 38 Panama 11[illegible] Quicksilver 15 Western Union 83 Wells Fargo & Co 8¼ New York Central 104½ Erie 15¼ Union Pacific 72½ U P bonds 102½ Central Pacific 10⅜.

Regatta at Saratoga.

NEW YORK Aug 26—The Atlanta crew who were victors at Saratoga to day were Fustis stroke of the Wesleyans last year Gunster stroke of Williams College last year and Rogers and Downs of Wesleyan crew of 1875.

Sale of Duncan's Turnout.

The horses harness and carriages of Wm Butler Duncan were sold at auction to day for $1 464.

East River Bridge.

BROOKLYN Aug 26—The anchorage of East river bridge is completed. The cable making for the bridge will commence at once.

Raising Tolls on the Erie Canal.

ALBANY Aug 26—State Treasurer Rynes in consequence of a combination of elevating associations at Buffalo and the floating elevator to double the charges upon grain requests the auditor to call a meeting of the state board to hear his explanation. He favored an immediate return to the old rate of tolls.

Mutineers Committed for Trial.

BOSTON, Aug 26—The mutineers of the schooner *Jefferson Borden* have been fully committed for trial.

Collision with a Sea Serpent

PORTLAND Me Aug 26—The schooner *Emily Holden* Captain Fred York arrived to day and reports that on the 2d off Martinicus she saw a sea serpent sailed for and struck it and received a violent blow from its tail as it dove.

National Committee of the Union League.

PHILADELPHIA Aug 26—The national committee of the Union League of America met to day. A movement was inaugurated looking toward a union of all elements of opposition to the democratic party especially in the south.

WASHINGTON CITY.

Civil War in Panama—The North Atlantic Squadron Ordered there to Protect American Interests

WASHINGTON Aug 26—A telegram received at the navy department this afternoon from Captain Edward Simpson commanding the U S steamer *Omaha* announces that the state of Panama has declared war against the government of Colombia. The department immediately issued orders to Rear Admiral Mullany commanding the North Atlantic station to hold his available force in readiness to proceed without delay to the Isthmus if necessary for the protection of American interests.

A District Attorney Dismissed

WASHINGTON Aug 26—The attorney general has sent orders dismissing Assistant District Attorney James B Izolora of Arkansas. The release on fraudulent bail of Snyder the alleged robber of Kerry's dry goods store is undergoing a thorough examination at the department of justice.

Decisions in the Court of Claims

WASHINGTON Aug 26—The attorney general having given an adverse decision on points presented in the Charpentier case, Charpentier has filed his application for relief on account of mail contracts in court of claims. The amount involved is $116 000. About $[illegible]6,000 awarded by the court in twenty five cases for captured and abandoned property will be paid.

An appeal has been taken by the government in the other cases reported on by the special commissioner involving between $300 000 and $400 000. Among the latter is the claim of Robert M Douglas, son of the late Senator Douglas in whose favor an award of $[illegible] 140 was made on account of captured and abandoned cotton on the estate of his grandmother in Mississippi.

Railway Postal Services

CHICAGO Aug —A Washington special says the subject of compensation to railroads for carrying mails is a point being considered by the postoffice department. It is well known that the majority of railroads are receiving more pay than they should owing to the peculiar manipulations of a man by the name of Safely a full history of whose operations was published in July of last year. The payment of railroad for four years has been based on the weight of the mails taken for thirty consecutive days. During the reign of Safely the mails were diverted from neighboring lines during the period of weighing and by this means the road engaged in weighing would secure the pay for double or even treble the weight of mails actually carried. Safely was shown up so thoroughly on his manipulating the mails that the practice for the time was stopped. Mr Creswell retired and when Jewell came in Safely disappeared. No reform was attempted notwithstanding the positive proof of the fact that the railroads have been drawing pay upon the basis made by the Safely method. It is roughly estimated by persons familiar with Safely's method that the government is at present paying the railroads upward of sixty per cent more than it should. Mr Tyner the second assistant postmaster general says he proposes to have a reweighing of the mails upon all roads where the people have evidence that Safely acted as a special weigher in order to secure fraudulent weight. At present a majority of the railroads are carrying the mails without contracts.

The Tripoli Insult Unsettled

WASHINGTON Aug 26—No information has yet been received here in regard to the action by the U S steamers [illegible] and *Hartford* sent to Tripoli to demand reparation for the insult offered to the American consul and his wife. Negotiations are being conducted by Capt English. Should the Tripolitan authorities refuse to make reparation upon his demand Rear Admiral Worden of the European station will be directed to proceed to Tripoli with all his force and there await instructions.

Heavy Transfers of Gold to California

WASHINGTON Aug 27—Heavy transfers of gold to California are being made by the treasury to-day in support of the banks of that state. Upon official notification being received at that department that the agents of the banks have deposited gold with the assistant treasurer in New York telegraphic instructions are sent to the assistant treasurer at San Francisco placing credits to the respective banks making such deposits in New York. Thus far over one million dollars have been transferred.

BY ATLANTIC CABLE.

London Stock Market.

NEW YORK Aug 26.—A dispatch from London states that there was a much better feeling in the market at the opening of business than at the close yesterday. The changes in prices are unimportant except in one or two instances. U S government bonds are steady.

Bank of England Statement

LONDON Aug 26—Bullion in the Bank of England decreased £50 000 the past week. The proportion of the bank reserve to its liabilities is 65¼ per cent.

Feeling in Servia.

BELGRADE VIA VIENNA Aug 26—Popular feeling in Servia is so strong in favor of the insurgents that it is feared the government will experience great difficulty in preventing a conflict with Turkey.

Death of Mrs. Garibaldi.

ROME Aug 26—The wife of Garibaldi is dead.

English Races

LONDON Aug 26—The Great Ebor handicap was to day won by Filly Agnes with Destination 2d and Polonaise 3d. Adventurer was the favorite and Apology unplaced. The Great Yorkshire stakes to day were won by Mintdrop with Prince Arthur 2d and Percy 3d.

A Banquet Declined.

SOUTHAMPTON Aug 26—Admiral Worden has informed the Mayor of Portsmouth that he and his officers are unable to accept the invitation to a banquet next week as the United States squadron will not be in the vicinity of Portsmouth after Monday.

Failed.

LONDON Aug 26—Albert Cohn & Co merchants of Seventeen Old Change have suspended. Liabilities not known.

London Markets Firm.

NEW YORK Aug 27—A dispatch from London says the market shows a fair degree of firmness and in most cases is quotable higher.

Fugitives from the Insurrection.

LONDON Aug 27—7 000 women and children are now fugitives in Croatia in consequence of the Herzegovinian insurrection. The insurgents have burned the towns of Focuiza and Roritout.

NOVA SCOTIA

Murder and Incendiary.

HALIFAX, Aug 27—A great excitement has been caused at Bear river by the burning of barns belonging to a brother and cousin of the late Mrs. Robbins. The fire is supposed to be the work of her husband who murdered her on Thursday last. He is supposed to be secreted in the woods. One hundred men are searching for him.

GENERAL NOTES

It is said that the great steamship *City of Peking* is a complete failure. Her condition is such that it will cost $[illegible]00 000 to get her ready for sea again.

The words of the preacher were in the mind of Cassagnac when he refused to fight Rochefort with pistols at five paces. "A living dog is better than a dead lion."

Mr Avery of Yale college class of '75 has thrown away an opportunity to at once grasp distinction by becoming "pitcher" for the Boston base ball club preferring he says the quiet privacy of the legal profession. Good by Mr Avery.

The Detroit *Free Press* says that "Dumas the French author has written a romance in which an American coon chases a couple of American lovers up a tree and tries to gnaw the tree down. He says this coon was as big as a yearling calf."

A wine cellar is to be built in Sonoma county this fall with a capacity of 200 000 gallons. The size will be 65x110 feet. It will be three stories, two stories of fifteen feet each will be cut in the sand stone ledge, and the upper story will be built of wood.

The town of Bowlder, Colorado has become involved in the erection of water works and issuing of bonds till the inhabitants are catching their chickens and slinging them on behind their wagons and moving out from the highest degree of civilization.

It is said that over many nailed up school house doors in Wisconsin is to be found the legend "Now skule Hear" and all because the school marms have refused to teach for $1 25 a week. Those Wisconsin school marms are too grasping at least so thinks the *Courier Journal*.

Signor Peruzzi the mayor of Florence who accepted the invitation of the lord mayor of London is the descendant of the bankers who lent Edward III. a large sum of money for war with France which money was never repaid and bankrupted the family. With interest it would be a fine sum now.

A Saint Louis exchange says: "It was supposed for a long time, that the trade in bogus American medical diplomas had been effectually suppressed but recent developments show that it still flourishes though not so vigorously as in the olden time. The nefarious business was first started in Philadelphia in 1857."

Italian industry has of late years taken a new impulse in important directions. Letters from Rome and Venice describe the progress recently made in the culture of silk worms and the prospects of that production and in the manufacture of glass in which the queen of the Adriatic seeks to recover her ancient monopoly.

On the trial of a woman in St Paul Minn., on the charge of keeping a house of ill fame, one of the witnesses living next door offered to give the names of a number of the regular visitors many of whom were in the court room at the time. A visible shudder ran around the room and while he was under examination the audience seemed to lose all interest in the trial.

M Poulard a lawyer of Andelys France has invented a new cider said to be very cheap and of excellent flavor—the peculiarity of which is that a large proportion of sugar beets is mixed with the apples before pressing; 80 pounds of beets are mixed with 400 quarts of apple or about 11 pounds to 100 quarts. The beets and apples are pressed together then saturated with water left quiet in a cellar for 24 hours and pressed anew. This repeated several times. The inventor says he makes 400 quarts of cider for 80 cents.

Sir Robert Phillimore has decided in the English court of arches the case that arose on the right of a Methodist preacher to be called "reverend." His decision is in substance that there is no law as to this title. It may be remembered that the origin of the case was the objection by an incumbent to the use of this title on a tombstone and the court decides that incumbents have authority over tombstones generally and that courts cannot interfere with incumbents as to points for which there is no law.

THE PANIC!

The Bank of California Suspends!

It Will Not Resume.

It is Able to Meet its Obligations.

Great Excitement on California Street.

All other Banks Close Temporarily.

DEATH OF WILLIAM C RALSTON.

Supposed to have Committed Suicide

[BY TELEGRAPH TO THE OREGONIAN]

SAN FRANCISCO Aug 26—At 5 P M the representatives of the press met in the president's office of the Bank of California. The following written statement was read:

OFFICE BANK OF CALIFORNIA
August 26, 1875.

The trustees are under the painful necessity of stating to customers of the bank and the public that the bank is compelled to suspend business at this moment and without reports from agencies is not prepared to make a statement as to the situation of the bank but we are now examining its interests critically and will at the earliest possible moment make a definite report. By order of the trustees
(Signed) S FRANKLIN Sec'y

President Ralston stated orally that on his own responsibility and that of the officers of the bank there was no doubt they would be able to meet all obligations. In reply to the question when they expected to open again he said "Not at all" and subsequently on a repetition of the question he said "We do not expect to resume." Ralston further stated that about $1 400 000 was paid out to day. No assistance was received from other banks though application was made for it. Had telegraphed all agencies of the bank to close and thought no banks in the interior would be affected by the failure.

The excitement on California street was intense. The street was blocked during the afternoon. The crowd on the whole was quiet and good natured and much confidence was expressed in the ability of the bank to redeem its obligations.

A run was made on the National Gold Bank & Trust Co. but the bank continued payment until the closing hour and asserted its ability to settle all demands in coin or bonds. Other banks in the city report no unusual call on their resources.

The San Francisco and Pacific Stock Exchanges held no sessions this afternoon adjourning till morning and the former passed a resolution forbidding members to do business in the interval. The late hour at which the suspension of the Bank of California occurred renders it difficult to calculate the effect on other financial interests at present.

The general feeling about town to-night is rather blue. The cashier of the National Gold Bank and Trust Company stated to a gentleman, in an interview this evening that the bank would open in the morning but might have to suspend during the day. This bank paid out all its gold this afternoon and a good deal of silver. If it can make arrangements to-night for coin it may be able to tide over to morrow. A run is expected on the San Francisco and Merchants' Exchange banks to morrow. A meeting of bank presidents is called for this evening to concert measures of relief. The board of brokers have also called a meeting.

The presidents of all the leading savings banks met this evening and passed a resolution requiring depositors to give the notice provided by the by laws of the several banks before withdrawing deposits. This is to counteract any attempt during the present excitement to make a run on savings banks. The resolution was signed by the executive officers of the following banks: The Hibernia Savings and Loan Association San Francisco Savings Union Odd Fellows' Savings Bank German Savings and Loan Society French Savings and Loan Society, Humboldt Savings and Loan and Security Masonic Savings and Trust.

Brokers Likely to go Down.

SAN FRANCISCO Aug 27—It is stated on presumably good authority that half a dozen heavy stock brokers will likely go down. No names are given. No commercial failures are yet reported, but a squeeze is expected next Monday—collection day.

Savings Banks all Right.

The savings banks during the day have been doing their usual business deposits in some being larger than disbursements. No excitement on that line.

Gold Bank and Trust Co. Suspend till Further Notice

LATER—The National Gold Bank and Trust Co have sent in a notice for publication in the morning papers that, owing to want of coin they will suspend until further notice but have assets of $1 300 000 in excess of liabilities and that any depositors desiring can have good assets of the bank sufficient to cover their claims.

Action of the Board of Brokers.

In the meeting of the board of brokers this evening it was resolved to present the checks of members on the Bank of California. Sharon appeared at the close of the meeting and told them to send in their checks.

City Tax Collector's Deposit.

City tax collector Austin has $275 000 of protested tax moneys on deposit in the Bank of California for which he has certificates of Special deposits. The directors assured the collector this morning this money would be paid in a day or so.

Ralston Gives his Private Means to the Bank

A rumor not yet confirmed says Ralston turned over his private means to the bank.

Greenbacks unchanged.

Action of the Chamber of Commerce

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug 27—The chamber of commerce held a meeting this afternoon and decided that it would probably be more injurious than beneficial to take any action looking towards the postponement of ordinary accounts or notes maturing next collection day—Monday. The meeting was very largely attended.

Death of Wm C Ralston

SAN FRANCISCO Aug 27—About 5 10 P M a closed carriage drove rapidly to the side door of the bank of California. A gentleman jumped out in a state of excitement and ran into the bank. In reply to inquiries the hack man said they had just left the body of Ralston in charge of an officer on the beach near the smelting works in the northern part of the city, drowned—supposed suicide. Further particulars soon.

LATER—Ralston rode to Selby's smelting works wharf and jumped off the dock.

Particulars of the Death of Ralston

There is great excitement in the city. The death of Ralston overshadows every other topic. From the best information it appears he went to the sea bathing establishment at North Beach about 3 25 P M undressed went into the water swam out about 200 yards disappeared behind a vessel and soon after the body was found floating by Selby's lead works. He was brought ashore still alive and a physician was summoned but efforts to resuscitate him failed and he died at 4 30. Col Fry his father in law Mayor Otis and a number of prominent citizens arrived before he expired. Col Fry and Cap Lees went to the bathing house, and obtained Ralston's clothes. In these were found a few dollars and his statement to the bank but nothing having a tendency to show he suicided. His body was taken to No 181? Jackson street the residence of Col Fry.

A boy named Festus Mazzelle states that he saw Mr Ralston before he reached the bath house. He saw him sit on a clay bank near the smelting works and saw him tear up several papers and throw the scraps in the water. A close search was made for the pieces, but none could be found. He is also reported to have been seen to drink the contents of a phial before going into the water. The general impression is that he took poison before entering the water.

The board of directors of the Bank of California held a meeting to day and requested Ralston to resign as president and director which he did.

Ralston's body has been placed in a casket and taken from his house to the residence of Col. Fry. The funeral will take place on Sunday and the inquest to morrow afternoon.

The Financial Prospect.

As regards the financial prospect in the best informed circles it is believed all the banks will go on without further trouble and that the National Gold Bank and Trust Company and the Merchants Exchange Bank will resume on Monday.

The Military to be Called Out if Necessary.

The town is full of rumors and the streets at this hour 4 P M are crowded with people. It is understood that owing to the excited state of feeling manifested arrangements have been made to call out the military to preserve order if necessary.

Effect of the Failure on Manufactures.

It is difficult at present to state the effect of Ralston's failure on the manufacturing enterprises in which he was interested. It is feared the Kimball Manufacturing Company will hardly survive the shock. The Rolling Mills are in better condition. The Cornell Watch Factory will probably be seriously crippled. The effect of the failure on mining cannot be estimated, as at present there is no market. All business in that line is off.

Causes of the Failure.

Of the many theories advanced as to the causes of the failure are the following: Sending money out of the city to buy wheat locking up coin by other parties, speculations in mining stocks etc. A statement made by Mr Ralston will be of interest. Throughout all the public interviews yesterday and to day Mr Ralston stated explicitly that the suspension was not owing to any hostile action by adverse parties and that the best of feeling prevailed between himself and parties who have been credited with the lock up of coin. At an interview last evening at Mr Ralston's residence he repeated that assertion in the presence of other parties. As your reporter left the room Ralston followed him into the hall and said "The statements I have made as to the causes of failure are my statements to the world. As a matter of personal and private information I tell you that this failure is the result of persistent effort for months to break this bank." Under present circumstances your reporter believes it proper to make this public. The streets are still full of people, but the crowd is disposed to be quiet and orderly, though some feeling of uneasiness is evident. Every precaution has been taken by the police department to preserve order and it is believed the evening will pass undisturbed.

The Effect in Los Angeles.

LOS ANGELES, Aug 27—The failure of the bank of California caused but little excitement here. It was predicted last night that in the morning there would be a run on the Farmers' and Merchants bank, and perhaps such was apprehended by the managers of that institution. When their doors were thrown open this morning it was easy to see they were well prepared. An extra tray of coin was set out, but the most tender footed seem not to have the least doubt of the soundness of the bank. There is scarcely the sign of a run this afternoon.

Business this afternoon has resumed its wonted tone and aside from that stringency caused by called in remittances from San Francisco there is nothing to indicate a panic.

UTAH.

Overland Train Robbed.

SALT LAKE, Aug 27—The express car on the Union Pacific railway bound east last night was robbed between Bitter creek and Table Rock stations. The robbers are reported to have got on top of the car and one of them climbed through a window while the train was in motion and the messenger asleep got the keys out of the messenger's pocket and unlocked the safe. When the messenger awoke he was shot at but missed. The messenger pulled the bell rope and stopped the train but the robbers escaped with some packages amount unknown.

OREGON

New wheat is pouring into Albany in large quantities.

The Albany college institution resumes on September 6th.

The new farmers warehouse at Albany will be completed in about ten days.

The fruit drying establishment at Corvallis is fast approaching completion.

Stock has been taken to some extent during the past week in the Yaquina railroad.

The Academy of the Sacred Heart at Salem resumes Aug 30th, and the Willamette University Sept 6th.

Mr Deckard of Albany has cornstalks in his garden fourteen feet high—almost equal to the corn of Illinois bottoms.

The Pioneer Oil Mills at Salem are now running full time in the day time, and in about two weeks hence it is expected that the mills will run night and day. This company have a contract to deliver in Portland 100 000 bushels of seed for a California house, and they have already commenced to fill the same and expect to have it all delivered by the middle of September.

Albany has storage capacity for 1 105 000 bushels of wheat. The *Granger* says this is a pretty fair showing or room, and we have no doubt but all of the buildings will be filled. This amount of grain if sold at current prices will turn loose in the community a large sum of money. A considerable part of the grain stored will come from across the river in Benton county say 100 000 bushels the balance from Linn.

The *State Rights Democrat* learns from Jo Leggett who has just returned from Newport that on last Saturday three Indians while fishing just outside the bar at Yaquina bay were carried to sea by the sudden turning of the tide their canoe capsized and all three were drowned. Subsequently two of the Indians and the canoe were washed ashore on the south beach but the body of the third Lo was not discovered when Mr L left.

Wheat has been rapidly coming in at the Salem mills and the last week's receipts the *Farmer* understands to have been over 20 000 bushel. The cleaning and weighing apparatus at these mills are being put in entirely new and will be of the best capacity. At the farmers warehouse receipts continue to be large but the temporary illness of Mr Herren prevents our obtaining particulars. Everything works well and the warehouse will certainly do an extensive business. The new wharf has already been planked nearly the whole surface and within a very short time will be ready for receiving or discharging freight.

The crops in Baker county according to the Baker City *Herald* are unusually prosperous. The hay is excellent while the grain yield will be abundant. Farmers will meet the coming winter season better prepared with provender for stock than they did last season. With the means of transportation our farmers could raise much more grain than could possibly be consumed at home as there are acres and acres of good tillable land now devoted to pasturage which would be turned into fields of waving grain. The wheat we understand is plump and large with no smut or rust to speak of. Harvesting is being conducted in a lively manner and farmers happy in the anticipation of abundant yields.

The census of Marion county just completed contains the following items: Males over 21 years 3 157 males over 10 and under 21 years, 1,517 males under 10 years, 1,890 females over 18 years 2 450 females over 10 and under 18 years 1 224 females under 10 years 1 806 total population 12 044, legal voters 3 082 acres in cultivation 75 397, bushels of wheat raised 538 721, oats 525 134 barley 6 582 rye 3 554 hay tons 9 053 pounds of wool 137 441 bushels of flax seed 4 200 bushels of corn 2 509 sheep 34 416 hogs, 7 026 horses 4 887 cattle, 10 991 tobacco pounds 1 288 bushels of potatoes, 64 138, bushels of apples 164 950 pounds of cheese, 45 315 pounds of butter 160 960 feet of lumber 5 650 000.

The *State Rights Democrat* says: "We this week received a call from Rev H S Parkhurst of Mansfield Pa who is traveling on the Pacific coast looking out a suitable location for the purchase of lands and the establishment of a colony of eastern people who are only awaiting his report to gather up their household gods and come to the Pacific slope. The colony which Mr P represents is regularly organized with a constitution and by-laws and now numbers about 150 families, with constant accessions and he believes that if his report of the country be favorable and a desirable location can be obtained, the colony will number thousands instead of hundreds. He designs thoroughly prospecting the whole North Pacific coast before deciding where to locate."

A WICKED CITY.—San Francisco will soon obtain an unenviable notoriety at the rate indicated in the following taken from the local columns of a late exchange from that city:

If not the largest, at least the most conspicuous portion of the docket before the police court this morning was the list of murderers—no less than five of the slayers of men appearing in the dock. James McVey and Joseph Hale, who were concerned in the fight with Hanson in which the latter received a wound which resulted in his death this morning were brought up and charged with murder. The examination was postponed till Wednesday. William J Taylor charged with the murder of O'Neil, and Edward Sheridan, who killed the youth Crowley will have their examination to morrow. The examination of Ellen Londain charged with the murder of Lankerman was put over to Wednesday. The sanguinary group were then conducted back to their cells.

The attention of the Federal council will probably be called at an early day to the subject of the extradition laws between the United States and Germany. Considerable delay and confusion are caused at present by the existence of a number of distinct treaties with the minor German states. The abrogation of these treaties and the substitution of one general law applying to the German Empire would do much to facilitate public business and owing to the intimate relations existing between a large portion of the population of this country and Germany it is desirable that the international laws between the two countries should be as clear and simple as possible.

FRIGHTFUL DEATH OF A CHILD.—On Wednesday morning last, Absalom Hoverler was mowing grass with his scythe, on his place near Ringtown. He had with him in the field a bright little son aged about four years. At noon he came to the house for dinner, bringing the boy with him, but while the parents were eating the little fellow slipped off and went back to the field. Shortly after he was missed, and on his father returning to the field in search of him, he found the boy lying alongside of the scythe, with his throat cut from ear to ear, bleeding to death. The horror stricken parent picked the child up, but in a few moments after it was discovered he [illegible] and sorrow of the afflicted family can be better imagined than described. It is supposed the accident happened through the boy taking hold of the scythe to imitate the work of his father, and then falling on the blade.—*Shenandoah Herald.*

WANTED TO DIE.—Two peasants, husband and wife named Retty, live at Plessis sur-Marne, near Paris. They have a little boy, aged six, to whom they are uniformly brutal. The other day the child became weary of life from being beaten so often, and descending to the courtyard where a ferocious bulldog was chained, he approached the animal resolutely and said "Tom, do you want to eat me up?" The dog looked up and growled, but did not move. "Tom," said the little one, "you must eat me, because papa beats me too much, and then I promise you I am good to eat. See! I shall not resist," and he threw a pebble at the dog who, springing fiercely at the boy, threw him down and fastened his teeth in his shoulder. At this instant a neighbor jumped through the window and, driving the bulldog away, saved the child.

DIDN'T WANT ANY HAIR TONIC.—Yesterday morning a long haired, thickly bearded, stranger entered a Griswold street barber shop, and in response to the inquiry if he would like to be shaved, he replied "Yes, sir, you miserable, contemptible, skulking highway pirate, I would." He removed his hat, drew a big navy revolver, cocked it, and sitting down in a chair with the revolver in his hand, he continued "Now, go ahead! If you ask me to have my hair cut, or say that I have dandruff, or cut my chin or ask me to buy your hair restorer, I'll shoot you dead in your tracks?" The barber didn't say one word while shaving that man.—*Detroit Free Press*

THE PRESIDENCY.—The Presidency is a great office, but for this very reason it exposes little men. Success in reaching it by whatever means must not be regarded as a condonation of offenses or a purification of character. Indeed, it is becoming the reproach of our political system that it is not sure to elevate men of the highest character and ability and reputation to the highest office, and there is all the more reason, therefore, for pointing out so flagrant a discrepancy between the man and the place as appeared when Andrew Johnson was President.—*Harper's Weekly*

THE EUROPEAN CATHEDRALS.—A calculation has been made of the number of persons the great cathedrals of the European Continent will hold. St Peter's, at Rome holds 54 000 people the Milan Cathedral holds 37,000, St Paul's, at Rome holds 25,000 St Sophia, at Constantinople, holds 23,000 Notre Dame, at Paris holds 21 000, the cathedral at Pisa holds 13,000, and San Marco, at Venice, holds 7,000.

SPARROWS AND WORMS.—It was at a party that some young ladies were discussing the relative benefits of the sparrows and the worms when one of the fair ones appealed to young Fizzleton, who had just joined them, and had not caught the drift of the conversation. "Which do you think the worse—worms or sparrows?" What did the stupid brute do but innocently answer, "I don't know. I never had sparrows."

BORING HOLES IN GLASS.—An apparatus has recently been devised in France by which plates of glass may be safely and rapidly pierced by means of the electric spark. By the aid of this machine, MM Terquem and Taurien were enabled to pierce half inch plate glass at points near one another without cracking.

Minister Orth in Austria, reports that he is pleased with the people there but the people have not been heard from.

A STRANGE INVALID.

She came from Detroit, Michigan, and her great pride was being an invalid. She lost no opportunity in stating that she came to Minnesota to recuperate. She did not hesitate to enter into a conversation with any person she came in contact with, giving advice climatological or physiological to invalids and seeking the same from those of robust constitution. Her conversation was always prefaced with introductory inquiry, so common to visitors "Did you come here for your health?" She thus addressed a stalwart ruddy-visaged young man at the dinner table of the Metropolitan a few days since, and the following dialogue ensued:

"Yes, madame, I came here probably the weakest person you ever saw. I had no use of my limbs in fact, my bones were but little tougher than cartilages. I had no intelligent control of a single muscle, nor the use of a single faculty."

"Great Heavens!" exclaimed the astonished auditor "and you lived?"

"I did, Miss, although I was devoid of sight, was absolutely toothless, unable to articulate a single word and dependent upon some others for everything being completely deprived of all power to help myself. I commenced to gain immediately on my arrival, and have scarcely experienced a sick day since, hence I can conscientiously recommend the climate."

"A wonderful case!" said the lady, "but do you think your lungs were affected?"

"They were probably sound, but possessed of so little vitality that but for the most careful nursing they must have ceased their functions."

"I hope you found kind friends, sir?"

"Indeed I did, madam, it is to them and the pure air of Minnesota that I owe my life. My father's family were with me, but unfortunately my mother was prostrated with a severe illness during the time of my greatest prostration."

"How sad! Pray, what was your diet and treatment?"

"My diet was the simplest possible, consisting only of milk, that being the only food my system would bear. As for treatment, I depended entirely upon the life-giving properties of Minnesota air, and took no medicine except an occasional light narcotic when very restless. My improvement dated from my arrival. My limbs soon became strong my sight and voice came to me slowly, and a full set of teeth regular and firm appeared."

"Remarkable, miraculous! Surely, sir, you must have been greatly reduced in flesh?"

"Madam, I weighed but nine pounds. I was born in Minnesota. Good day."

One thing seems to be pretty well settled, and that is that the Southern Pacific railroad scheme will be indorsed by the next Congress. Tom Scott and a few other northern men, directors and promoters of the project, are to be dropped, and their places filled by strong representative southern men, such as ex Governor Beriah Magoffin, of Kentucky. These men are to be selected from North Carolina, Georgia, Kentucky, Virginia Alabama, Louisiana and Texas, and will be of great influence among the new congressmen from the south.

The opening of a laundry by Wah Lee, has suggested to a correspondent that Wah Shing would be a good name for the next celestial that goes into the business.

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RALSTON'S DEATH.

Not more fearful is the stroke of the thunderbolt when in an instant it shivers the mighty oak, that has braved the storms of a thousand winters, than the sudden financial downfall of a man who for years has stood the reverses of trade and speculations and whose name had almost become a synonym for wealth and solidity among the capitalists of the land. On Thursday when the news was circulated that the Bank of California had suspended, the shock ran through commercial circles like electricity, but Mr. Ralston stood up and assured the people that all was well as far as the creditors of the bank were concerned and that all liabilities would be made good. Upon this it seemed confidence was in a small measure restored, and along the wires sped the news that the "worst was past." A partial quiet at least was settling down on the community, though many still waited for further intelligence with bated breath. Before night it came, and this time not of the crash of banks or the shock of trade, but the still more fearful word "Ralston is dead," flashed through the land, and what was excitement and suspense turned almost to horror. What more might come none would dare to guess, and men shuddered at the news of his death who never even saw the man who had died, not so much that he was dead as because of the time and circumstances of his demise.

William C. Ralston began business life as a clerk on a Mississippi river steamboat. He has been on the Pacific coast for twenty-two years, only a few years less than half his life, he being 46 or 48 years old. He has been a leading financier on the coast a great portion of the time. In the year 1853 he was engaged in banking and acting as agent for a steamship company at Panama. The firm name then was C. K. Garrison, Fetz & Ralston. Subsequently he removed to San Francisco, and, uniting with Peter Donahue and Eugene Kelly, opened the banking-houses of Donahue, Ralston & Co. in San Francisco, and Eugene Kelly & Co. in New York. This copartnership was dissolved in 1858, and the Bank of California was formed, with a capital of $2,000,000, which several years after was increased to $5,000,000. For some years Mr. Ralston has been its president, and under his management it, at least, had an outside reputation of being *very substantial* and enormously wealthy. But the tale is told in our dispatches. The worst came to the worst and the mighty fabric tumbled with a fearful crash, and upon its fall there is good ground to believe that the great disaster crazed the brain of its manager to such a fearful extent that he voluntarily sought the refuge of the grave. Amid the downfall of his fortune and the wreck of his earthly all, his life shattered by the blow, he has died, and though lost fortune may be regained and broken banks be reestablished, nothing can bring back the life or restore the activity to that brain that made him the tower of strength he was thought to be among the wealthy of the land.

ITS EFFECT.

The failure of the Bank of California is a misfortune to that state. It has been foremost in developing many of the great industries of the coast, and particularly so in reference to its mining interests. Its suspension is probably due in a great measure to its large loans upon mining stocks, which are mostly speculative in their character, and not easily convertible in close times. It is generally conceded that the commercial community of late years have, to a great extent, withdrawn their accounts from that bank, and transferred them to other banks considered less speculative in their character. Some weeks since it was rumored that dissatisfaction existed in the board of directors as to the management of the bank under Mr. Ralston. Since that time, we understand, the bank has been calling in overdrafts and curtailing its loans. The heavy export of coin to New York during the last few months by merchants, in order to obtain the high premium on gold, has undoubtedly made coin scarce, and Mr. Ralston, with a run upon his bank, found himself with but little coin and too many mining stocks on which no one would advance him money. Our commercial community may congratulate themselves that we are not subject to these stock speculative excitements. Our banks move on in the even tenor of their way attending to their legitimate commercial transactions. There is no perceptible change in the ordinary course of business. Our wheat buyers will probably wait for a few days to see what effect the failure will have upon the California wheat market. They will then proceed with their purchases, and we see no good reason for any decline in prices. As we write we learn through private telegrams from San Francisco to business men in our city that the panic is subsiding and confidence is being gradually restored.

INVESTIGATIONS.

It has long seemed to us that the manner in which the government commissioners appointed to investigate charges against officials, performed their duties, could only be regarded by thinking men as a mere farce, in more than half the cases, and that there has been some ground for the origin of the term "white-washing," recently applied to the action of several bodies who were authorized to make investigation on certain points. There are now somewhere out West commissioners who came thither ostensibly for the purpose of ascertaining the truthfulness of charges made in regard to gross swindling operations at the Red Cloud and other Indian agencies. These commissioners, it is admitted, have very little authority, and being untrained in detective work, although they may have every desire to ascertain and publish the truth, but does anybody believe that they will be able to make anything like a thorough investigation of the frauds upon the government, charged to have been committed. The means at their command for detecting fraud is just about what any half-dozen gentlemen would have, and it is not at all probable they will hear more than one side of the case, and the side of the defense these committees of investigation can always hear very fully. Their work is done, by going out to the Indian agencies and looking about them. Their coming has been announced long before, and everything has been made ready—the lean kine have been driven into tall timber, and some fat bullocks feed on the plain in their sight, as samples of what have been furnished the Indians and paid for by the government. Some nice samples of flour, sugar and tobacco, such as are kept for the eye and palate of the inspector, are exhibited, and the agent and contractors and affinity relatives, come forward and testify to their own exalted honesty. Nobody takes it voluntarily upon themselves to testify against them, as nobody is personally interested in the prosecution. The commission which came out to the Red Cloud agency, appear not even to have had the power to compel the attendance of witnesses. Their report may be perfectly honest, as far as they are concerned, and may be the only kind of report they could make on the evidence which they succeeded in obtaining, but it will not be such a report as will satisfy the country or quiet the voice of the public now calling loudly for a full vindication, or the immediate removal from office and punishment of those against whom these grave charges are preferred.

FORTUNATE OREGON.

The atmospheric condition in these parts during the past day or two has been most favorable to the farmers who are everywhere rapidly pushing the work of harvesting their grain. The state is peculiarly fortunate this year so far, having escaped all of the disasters which, in one form or another have overtaken almost every other section of our country. Even our next door neighbor, California, with a diminished wheat crop, is now convulsed by a monetary crisis which of course stagnates almost every branch of her commerce and sets her back almost as much as she has gained in a twelve month. Oregon—favored Oregon of nearly all the states, has enjoyed a year of almost uninterrupted prosperity, and still her future looms up bright and promising. Her people have every reason to rejoice, give thanks, and hope, not forgetting that the exercise of industry and prudence is the surest means by which the resources are changed to actual permanent wealth.

A BONANZA OF A FRAUD.

Our dispatches this morning reveal in its first outcroppings another stupendous fraud, or rather a "grand steal" on the part of the employes of the government, in the manner in which the railroads have been doing postal service. The idea of borrowing mails from other lines for the "thirty consecutive days," in which the weighing was to take place under Safely's [Saverley] method, is not original at all. It is just like the plan of putting the lean kine out of sight, and bringing out the show cattle and the firm samples of sugar and tobacco, when the inspector of Indian affairs visits the agencies.

But the state of the public service is shown by these repeated revelations of gigantic fraud, to be in so [illegible] condition, as to most urgently demand an immediate and thorough overhauling at the hands of the administration, and unless that is done quickly, which ought to be done, the administration will be severely overhauled by the people.

THOROUGHLY INDEPENDENT.

The Washington county *Independent* adopts the platform promulgated by the Independent state convention, and adds the following resolutions:

That common carriers, as railroads and steamboat companies, etc., should be subject to the jurisdiction of the local courts for damage or wrong done by them to property or person on or along their lines of transportation.

That railroads passing within a mile of a county seat, or town of 200 or more inhabitants, should be compelled to build stations there for the accommodation of the people through whose lands they have the right of way.

That we hold to the doctrine of the Union as it is and the constitution as it is and ought to be.

The *Independent* further says: "Our candidate for congress is the best man before the people for their votes at the time of the election; the man of the best morals (if religious, so much the better, and if a sound politician, so much the better), and the most capable. That is the man that will get our vote, whatever be his party, and we ask the people of this county, and, if we could, of the state, to vote, if possible, for such a man now and for all time to come, and all will be well. We bow to no party shibboleth—the *Independent* is independent."

The great obstruction to approaching New York from Long Island Sound is a rock of 22½ acres, and the imperfect and somewhat dangerous passage caused by its presence is called Hell Gate. At the extreme edge of Hallett's Point a shaft has been sunk to the depth of 32 feet, and this is protected by a coffer dam. From this shaft ten headings or tunnels radiate under the rock, and these are connected by galleries. Then there are twenty-eight smaller headings. The whole is undermined by a mile and a half of tunneling. The consumption of blasting material already has been very great—chiefly of nitro-glycerine and vulcan powder, which is composed of 70 parts of gunpowder and 60 parts of nitro-glycerine. For the final burst, which is to rend asunder all the columns and walls of rock between the tunnels and let the roof fall, 40,000 lbs. of nitro-glycerine, it is said, will be required. It is expected that the work will be completed, and the channel open to vessels drawing twenty-six feet of water, during the summer of the coming year.

MARRIED:

In Salem, Aug. 20, Wm. Nesbitt and Mrs. Jane Shepard.

At Philomath, August 15, Alfred Drake and Miss Mary Jane Shipley.

DIED:

In this city, August 27, Samuel Finley, infant son of Samuel F. and Emma Blythe, aged 10 months and 13 days.

Funeral from the residence, corner Third and Sherman streets, to-day at 2 o'clock P. M. Friends of the family are invited to attend.

In Albany, August 22, infant daughter of Coil. Van Cleave.

In Corvallis, August 20, Sabina Caton, aged 21 yrs.

In Corvallis, August 25, Infant son of Jos. Hunt.

On the Washougal, W. T., August 19, Peter J. De Nure aged 74 years.

In Umatilla county, August 21, Walter, son of J. W. and Adeline Marquiss, aged 16 mos. and 3 days.

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The Nicest and Cheapest in the city, at
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ON AND AFTER MONDAY, AUGUST 30th, 1875, all our outstanding Drafts drawn upon "The Bank of California" will meet due honor if presented at the counter of the "First National Gold Bank, San Francisco."

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Portland, Ogn. Aug. 28, 1875. n28d1w

Attention, Portland Light Battery!

YOU ARE REQUESTED TO MEET AT THE Armory on Sunday, at 2 P. M. Business of importance to be transacted.

By order of the CAPTAIN.

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT of the State of Oregon, for the county of Multnomah.—ss.—H. Boyd, plaintiff, vs. F. L. Tileston, Kate M. Tileston, G. W. Shaver, Edwin Russell and Hagen Squire, defendants. To F. L. Tileston, Kate M. Tileston and Hagen Squire, part of the above named defendants: In the name of the State of Oregon you and each of you are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint of the above named plaintiff against you which has been filed, in the above entitled Court, on the first day of the next regular term of said Court, which day is the 11th day of October, A. D. 1875, in which complaint and suit said plaintiff seeks to foreclose a certain mortgage executed by said F. L. Tileston and Kate M. Tileston to plaintiff on the 24th day of May, 1871, to secure a note for $2,500 and interest and attorneys fees for $150, made by said F. L. Tileston and Kate M. Tileston, and which mortgage is on Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8 in Block 159 in Couch's addition to the city of Portland, Multnomah county, Oregon, and to subject said property to sale to satisfy the sum of $1,405 80 and interest thereon at one per cent. per month from and after the 4th day of January, 1875, due on said note and mortgage, besides the sum of $150 attorneys' fees, and costs and disbursements of suit, and for judgment against said F. L. Tileston for any balance which may remain due on said note after foreclosure and sale of said mortgaged premises and application of the proceeds to the liquidation of said note, and for decree as against the liens and claims of the defendants Shaver, Russell and Squire. That they are subsequent to plaintiff's lien, and subject thereto. And if you fail so to answer said complaint, plaintiff will apply to the said Court for the relief therein demanded. You are further notified that this summons is published by an order of the Hon. E. D. Shattuck, Judge of said Court, made on the 27th day of August, 1875, directing service on you herein by publication. Dated at Portland this 27th day of August, A. D. 1875.

WHALLEY & FECHHEIMER,
n28d1aw6w Att'ys for Plaintiff.

A Street.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE COMMON COUNCIL of the city of Portland propose to improve that part of A street lying between North First street and the west line of North West Park street by grading, laying sidewalks six feet in width, and crosswalks where necessary.

W. S. CALDWELL,
Auditor and Clerk.
August 28, 1875. au28d10t

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C. H. PERKINS,
D. J. QUIMBY.
Portland, August 23, 1875. a23d1w

RECEIVER'S NOTICE.

BY ORDER OF THE COURT I WILL SETTLE the liabilities and collect the outstanding accounts of McGINN & WOLFF. Those interested please call on at my office, with Atkinson & Wakefield, Front and Stark streets. I am instructed to wind up the affairs of the firm as soon as possible.

a23d6t ANDREW HILL,
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friends are sanguine of its prosperity. All
patrons should remember that the Academ
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same time it seems to be unsectarian in
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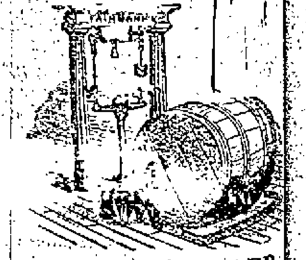

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UNSUCCESSFUL ATTEMPT AT SUICIDE.—Harry Spedden, a young gentleman, aged about 25 years, son of the county clerk of Clatsop county, and a clerk in the custom house, made an unsuccessful attempt to commit suicide at Astoria on Thursday evening. About 9 o'clock on the evening mentioned, the young man went to the Good Templar Lodge, which was in session. He was met in the ante-room by a young lady and a young gentleman, who were standing near the door engaged in conversation. When young Spedden entered the room the girl turned round and made the remark: "Why Harry, you are late this evening." Without answering her, Spedden turned to the young man and shook hands heartily with him. An instant later he drew a small derringer from his pocket, and pressing the muzzle against his breast, discharged the weapon. The ball took effect below the left nipple, passed just under the heart, and ranging upward and backward grazed the right side of the spinal vertebra, and came to within an inch of the skin. He was rendered unconscious for a time from the nervous shock, and it was supposed that the shot had resulted fatally. Soon after he rallied, but his mind was partially delerious. He asked for the pistol, on finding that his first effort at self-destruction, had proved unsuccessful, but the request was, of course, denied him. When our informant left Astoria, yesterday morning, young Spedden was resting comparatively easy, although his condition was considered critical in the extreme. His injuries are not regarded as necessarily fatal, but the result is very uncertain. Unrequitted love is reported to have been the occasion of the suicidal attempt, but our informant was unable to give us the real cause of the effort at self-murder. Up to the time of leaving, no effort had been made to extract the ball.

ARRANGEMENTS FOR GEN. SHERIDAN'S RECEPTION.—Yesterday afternoon the committee appointed at the last meeting of the common council to act in conjunction with the military in completing arrangements for the reception of Gen. Sheridan, who will leave on the steamer to-day for Portland, met at Gen. Howard's office. The matter was discussed at some length, when it was determined to charter a steamer and go down the river to meet the distinguished visitor, accompanied by the regimental band, the troops stationed at Vancouver, the several volunteer companies of this city, Gen. Howard, the officers connected with the headquarters of the department of Columbia, Mayor Chapman, members of the council and other prominent citizens of Portland. The principal difficulty which presents itself to Gen. Howard and the committee, is the fact that there is no means of determining just when the steamer will arrive. If favored with fair weather, the steamer will probably reach here on Tuesday evening, but she may not arrive until Wednesday. However, we understand that the committee have concluded to charter a boat at all events, and have everything in readiness. Mr. Weidler, it is said, has consented to cause the steamer to be delayed at Astoria until Wednesday, unless she can reach here early on Tuesday evening in time for the reception to be held that night. If this arrangement is carried into effect, there will be no difficulty in managing the affair.

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FESTIVAL.—The Germans of Portland and vicinity propose to hold, to-morrow afternoon at the Canyon Garden, a festival, the proceeds of which will be donated to the funds to be raised for erecting a national German-American teachers' seminary in the United States, where young men and women will be instructed in the theory and practice of teaching according to the best methods and from the standpoint of modern sciences. For many years the necessity has been felt for an institution where teachers can be educated, so that they will be able to instruct in both English and German languages. The German Teachers' Association of America has therefore resolved to raise a sum sufficient to endow such an institution by a national subscription.

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TO BE REPAIRED.—After a year's constant service, the little propeller *Varuna* has been laid up temporarily for repairs. Capt. Gray came up yesterday, bringing a portion of the machinery, which will be repaired. In a short time the *Varuna* will be making her regular trips.

NEW BOTTOM.—The O. S. N. Co.'s steamer *Success* has been lying at the basin at Oregon City for some time undergoing repairs. In addition to receiving some necessary repairs, the hull has been overhauled and rendered almost as good as new. On Monday the *Success* will go up the river.

THE CAMPAIGN OPENED.—Mr. G. W. Dimick, Temperance candidate for congress, will speak upon the political questions of the day, at the court house, on Tuesday evening next. He is the first of the candidates to honor Portland with an appointment.

SONG SERVICE.—A song service, conducted by Prof. McGibeney, assisted by his family and friends, will be held at the Good Templar Hall on Sunday evening, at the usual hour of church service. A cordial invitation is extended to the public.

BANK NOTICE.—Ladd & Tilton announce the payment of their outstanding drafts drawn on the Bank of California at the First National Gold Bank, San Francisco, on and after the 30th inst. Holders of these drafts will bear this in mind.

OUT-DOOR SPORTS.

Cleveland, Ohio, is organizing a professional base ball club.

A lively time is promised at the Riverside course on the 11th prox. The purse is a large one which will induce the owners of fine stock to trot out their flyers.

What about the rowing match spoken of some days ago? Let some one start the ball to rolling, and the sport will no doubt become as popular as sailing contests.

We have not received any official notice of a match game to-day. Until the clubs mean business we do not propose to disappoint any one by announcing games to take place.

The Bostons still lead for the championship. They will be reorganized for next season by Harry Wright, the veteran, though three of their best players are pledged to the Chicagos for 1876.

Henry Coulter (ex-champion) and Evan Morris are matched to row on the Alleghany river, September 11th, near Pittsburg, Pa., for the championship of America, and a purse of $1,000—$500 aside. Distance 5 miles.

The new Cincinnati club, recently organized, has beaten the Chicago 13 to 5. The nine consists of the following players: Radcliff, s. s.; Gould, 1st b.; Snyder, rf.; fisher, p.; Clack, cf.; Field, 2b; Wardell, lf.; Pearson, c.; Kessler, 3d b.

A sailing contest has been arranged to take place to-morrow, over the course of ten miles' stretch, starting from opposite the railroad ferry landing at 1:30 P. M., proceeding northward to the stake boat at the head of Swan island, turn and run up to stake boat at the foot of Ross island and back to place of starting. The entries thus far are the *Portland*, from the bark of that name, by Capt. Gage; *Cricket*, by Robert Brown; *Nameless*, by John LaChapelle, and the *Wren*, by Charles Dickenson. Entries can be made by paying the entrance fee, $15, up to 12 o'clock Sunday, at La Chapelle's boat house, foot of Pine street. A spirited contest may be looked for.

FIRE MATTERS.

Board of delegates meet on the 9th prox.

The bells recently recast for 4's and 5's have not been hung yet.

Willamettes will elect on the 2d prox. a president to fill a vacancy.

The "Hallock" engine, ordered for Baker City, remains at 2's house awaiting orders.

Pumped out, cleaned and otherwise made more serviceable—the cistern at the intersection of First and Ash streets.

The cistern at the intersection of First and Mill streets, which has been out of order, was pumped on Thursday to a certain depth to allow repairs to be made.

The board of foremen, at a meeting held on Thursday evening, decided by a vote of 4 to 2 not to turn out at the reception of Gen. Sheridan. At the same meeting it was determined to have a general drill on anniversary day—Monday, September 16th—instead of a parade, as talked of.

An alarm was struck last evening, at 10:30 from box No. 14, which speedily brought out the department. It was discovered that the roof of a small frame building, which stands near the corner of C and North Sixth streets and occupied by a colored family named Waterford, was on fire. Three of the engines took water at the cistern at the intersection of Fourth and B, and, in less time than it requires to write, the hose was run out and after a momentary struggle with the destroyer it succumbed. Most of the roof was destroyed and a portion of one side of the building. The fire was communicated by accident. There was no damage sustained by any of the household effects, as they were all speedily removed. Damage confined entirely to the building. Loss estimated at about $30.

RELIGIOUS.

There will be no services to-morrow at the Unitarian church.

There will be no preaching in the Presbyterian church to-morrow, owing to the absence of Dr. Lindsley. Sabbath school and prayer meeting as usual.

The pastor of the Congregational church has returned from his vacation and will conduct services at 11 o'clock. At 7:45 P. M. there will be a general religious meeting, conducted by a layman, with singing from the "Song Evangel."

There will be services to-morrow at 10 o'clock, in German, at the usual place of worship, by Rev. J. Gantenbein. "The Best School in Portland" will be the theme of the sermon, to which are particularly invited all the German friends of education, learning and freedom.

The Baptist meeting-house is still in such a condition of repairs that the auditorium will not be used before Sunday, September 5th. The pastor will preach in the lecture room at 11 A. M., and 7:45 P. M., to-morrow evening. Subject, "Freedom by the Truth." Sabbath school at 12:30. Prayer meeting at 7 o'clock.

Rev. R. Bentley, A. M., pastor of the Taylor-street M. E. church, will preach his first sermon for the present conference year at 11 A. M. Services at 7½ P. M. Sunday school at 1:45 P. M. Street services, corner First and Taylor streets. Young people's meeting on Saturday evening, at 7½ P. M. The public are cordially invited to all these services.

BRIEF NOTES.

The steamer *Oriflamme* will sail for Portland to-day.

The little craft *Kalata* is now lying at the Gas Co.'s wharf, undergoing repairs.

The financial crash in San Francisco has produced no little excitement in this city.

Eighteen cars loaded with wheat, came down on the westside road yesterday morning.

County court will convene one week from next Monday. State circuit court will meet on the same day.

Portland lodge of Good Templars will give a sociable on Monday evening, to which the members of the order are invited.

It requires two locomotives to pull the long train up the steep grade on Fourth street, and makes them do some tall snorting to accomplish it.

An infant's dress was picked up a few days ago on the O. S. N. Co.'s wharf, and the owner can find the same by calling on Mr. Geo. Hoyt, and proving property.

If you are going on a pleasure trip to-morrow, take a lot of O'Brien's cigars with you.

Genuine imported Vichy water and the delicious creme. Polar soda water can only be had at Pfunder's German pharmacy, New Theatre block.

RETURNED.—Dr. Welch, dentist, has returned to Portland, and can be found at his office in Odd Fellows' Temple.

REMOVED.
GEO. H. CHANCE. J. WELCH.
CHANCE & WELCH,
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Office—FIRST STREET,
(Odd Fellows' Temple.)

ALL ABOUT CLATSOP.

ASTORIA, Aug. 27, 1875.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE OREGONIAN:

Throughout America there are many watering places and summer resorts, and after a fair comparison of the benefits to be derived from a visit to any of them, I think, Clatsop will rank among the first. I have been a resident of Oregon for the past eight years, and during that time when I heard Clatsop spoken of I thought it merely a common place by the seaside, the best the country could afford, &c. Now that I have been there and enjoyed the pleasure of a week's visit, I acknowledge my mistake. Some years ago I spent a few days at Cape May, and the following year a fortnight or so at Long Branch, and when I compare the pleasures of the past week with the enjoyments of my visit to those far-famed watering places, the difference in the expenses, &c., I must say Clatsop has my preference.

A week ago last Wednesday, being sick of the smoky atmosphere at Portland, and tired of the monotony of city life, I concluded to find the way to some country retreat and get relief if possible. At a few minutes to 6 A.M. I boarded the O. S. N. Co.'s elegant new steamer *Bonita* (a Spanish name, I believe, the interpretation of which is "a pretty little dear"), bound for the seaside. Among the passengers aboard were quite a number of Portlanders, Hon. W. S. Ladd and wife being the most prominent. The usual number of landings were made on the way down, and at 2 P. M., sharp, we steamed in sight of Astoria.

Here the life and bustle common to seaport towns were everywhere apparent, and I was much surprised to see so many improvements that have been made since my visit there two years ago. Upon our arrival at the wharf we found the little steamer *Oneatta* waiting to carry us to Skipanon landing, and, inasmuch as she must wait for the passengers from both lines of boats, and as the *Willamette Chief* did not reach her wharf until half-past 3 o'clock, it was about 4 P. M. when we started. It only requires about fifty minutes' running time to make the distance between Astoria and Skipanon, and when we reached the landing we found stages ready to convey us to the beach, fifteen miles further on.

Clatsop plains, over which we had to pass, are more thickly settled than I had anticipated, and on the road to Clatsop there are quite a number of very well improved farms. Upon leaving Skipanon the stages that run to the different hotels at the beach are each of them anxious to reach their destination first, and the experience of my ride taught me they have very lively times. When within two miles of Cloutrie's, our driver informed us that very soon the wagon just behind would attempt to pass us, and that we must hold fast to our seats, and, in short, "look out for squalls." A few minutes later we came to where the road forked, and sure enough the race began. Such an abuse of horseflesh I had not witnessed for many a day, and "squalls" did come right lively from a young mother who sat directly behind me in our wagon, and, during the race she momentarily expected herself and child to be dashed out by the wayside and possibly killed. Such a splashing of harness and whiffletrees is seldom seen and upon coming out of the dust and into the main road, we were just a little ahead, and yielding to the impulse of the moment, I raised my hat and cheered for our victory. "Shut your big mouth," was the excited response from a lady occupant of the rear wagon; but as no doubt our dust had been very disagreeable to her, she was excusable. However, our team held the lead, and at 7:30 o'clock P. M., we were safely landed, and in a short space of time thereafter, snugly quartered at Cloutrie's summer house.

Early the following morning, after a hearty breakfast of clams and other delicious shell fish, I began to seek whatever sport there was to be had. J. W. Whalley, the well known attorney of Portland, had arrived several days before me, and as he was fully acquainted with the regular routine of sports, I had no trouble in finding them. The distance from Cloutrie's to the Seaside House is but three or four hundred yards, and as early as 6 A. M., each day, parties from either house may be found strolling on the sands, sniffing the salt air, and thereby gaining an appetizer. At noonday, or a little later, according to the tide, nearly all visitors gather in the vicinity of the bathing houses, and an hour or so is usually spent in the healthful exercise of surf bathing.

Boat rowing, trout fishing, netting for crabs, herrings and tom cods, croquette playing, swinging, etc., are the amusements for the rest of the day. In the evening the atmosphere grows quite cool, and it is then pleasant to sit in doors by a fire, where the time is agreeably passed in reading, singing, playing at whist, cassino, telling stories, etc.

Conspicuous among the sojourners at the Sea-Side house for the past week have been Hon. H. W. Corbett and wife, the Misses Failing, Judge M. P. Deady, wife and son, Judge Field and wife, of California; W. S. Ladd and wife, Dr. A. L. Lindsley and wife, Dr. J. C. Hawthorne and family, of East Portland; Mrs. W. J. VanSchuyver and family, C. P. Bacon, Esq., Mr. L. Brenckle, Isaac Blum, and many others. At Cloutrie's there were J. W. Whalley and family, Mrs. Charles Carter and son, Mrs. Charles E. Calef and children, Mrs. Honeyman and family, Mrs. Brady and family, Mrs. B. O'Hara and son, all of Portland, besides many others whom I have not the time to mention. The season is necessarily short and ere many days pass by the throng of visitors will dwindle to a very few, and the life and gaiety of Clatsop beach for the year 1875 will be numbered with the things of the past. It is the general expression of all who have been there, that Mr. Cloutrie has given good satisfaction in the management of his house this season. What with his own efforts coupled with the excellent cookery and housekeeping of his most excellent wife, how could he fail to please. Yesterday with considerable reluctance I left the great pleasure field; and in the evening arrived at this place much improved in avoirdupois, and general spirits. To-morrow I expect to arrive at home in Portland, ready to resume labor.

KAZERTA.

BUSINESS NOTICES.

At 10 o'clock this morning, Kilbourn will sell at auction the furniture in the residence on the west side of Sixth street, between Salmon and Main.

The patrons of Beck & Walman will be pleased to know that this firm have increased their stock. The new goods are very attractive, and will meet with favor. Call to-day and select for yourself or your darling—provided you have one.

The excitement yesterday, though great, did not prevent the usual rush at Fabre & Barnes'.

BECK & WALDMAN have added largely to their stock of Clothing during the past week. Mr. Beck has selected many new and attractive styles and forwarded the first purchases, which are really the best to be seen in Portland. The variety of styles for youths are numerous, and no parent should fail to examine the arrivals. Take your boy and have him fitted. The firm have an immense stock for the fall and winter and offer special inducements to all.

SAN FRANCISCO BOOT & SHOE STORE.—Moore & Hollabaugh, successors to J. Fleischner, 123 First street, respectfully say to the public generally, that they have marked down the old stock from 25 to 50 per cent. and intend to sell regardless of cost. They have this day received a large stock of New Goods; latest styles, which they will sell as cheap as the cheapest, endeavoring to suit all who may favor them with their patronage. Custom work done in the latest styles and on new and scientific principles. Repairing done to order. All work warranted. Give them a call before purchasing elsewhere.

One of the most attractive establishments in the city is that of JOS. KOHN'S, in the handsome building recently constructed at the corner of First and Morrison street. Mr. KOHN has an unusually large and varied stock of Clothing, Furnishing Goods, Trunks, Valises, &c. He made it a point to select goods, on a late trip, specially adapted to the local trade, and his customers will find everything in the new store of the very best quality, latest styles, and the prices regulated to suit.

COLD LUNCHES.—The oyster season having closed, WALLER & SON, Oak street, between First and Second, will serve Rare Lunches to their patrons at all hours. The OXFORD SALAD DRESSING, their own preparation, is meeting with great favor. Try it.

The AMERICAN EXCHANGE HOTEL is still run by Quimby, who has been here for the past ten years, and intends to continue. He has no connection whatever with the St. Charles Hotel. His old patrons may be sure of always meeting him at the American Exchange as of old. jy7tf

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"LITTLE PHIL" INTERVIEWED.

Scarcely had the hero of the famous ride from Winchester, "twenty miles away," set his foot in San Francisco, before he was subjected to an ordeal hardly less trying to his courage than to face a whole battery of masked guns, or lead in the van of a furious cavalry charge—being interviewed by the average reporter. This time it was the inquisitive quill driver of the *Post*. After taking off his hat, bowing low several times, introducing himself, stating in the blandest manner possible the object of his call, and at the same time gently drawing from his left breast pocket a black pencil (we fancy it was a black one), and the formidable notebook, the reporter proceeded to accomplish his task with evident gusto. He proceeded thusly:

Reporter—Well, to begin with, General, what are you out here for?

Sheridan—Only a little pleasure trip, my boy—a little jaunt through the country with my wife, you know. I haven't been here for some years, and I thought I would like to revisit the Red river. I am going from Frisco almost directly to Oregon. I shall stop at Portland, and then go up the Columbia river, and through the Wallamet valley. I was out here in 1855, about the 1st of July. I was then with the expedition which surveyed the passes in the mountains for the Central Pacific. We made a profile map of the country.

Reporter—How long were you on this coast?

Sheridan—About six years and a half; but I was most of the time in Oregon.

Reporter—You don't look at all fatigued, General. You must have had an easy trip?

Sheridan—Oh, this business of traveling don't affect me much. Sometimes a palace car gets a trifle monotonous, and I wish that I only had a good mule to jump along with.

Reporter—You stopped in Salt Lake, I believe?

Sheridan—A day or so. That post is part of my command.

Reporter—What is your opinion of the polygamy question and the way the Mormon authorities have defied the government?

Sheridan—Oh, my dear boy, I haven't the remotest opinion on the subject, we military men look to headquarters for orders, and never have any opinion at all.

Reporter—You must find this state of mind especially enjoyable?

Sheridan—I do, indeed. You newspaper men have no idea of the pleasure there is in not being required to have an opinion. It's one of the grand pleasures of our existence.

Reporter—A perfect mental elysium?

Sheridan—Exactly. Elysium is the very word.

Reporter—When do you return from Oregon?

Sheridan—I shall probably stay about a couple of months; but then, when a man gets loose among his old associates and moves among old scenes, there's no telling how long he will stay.

Reporter—You haven't met any bandits but here yet?

Sheridan—Not one; but I'm looking for them all the while.

At this, it is said, his wife laughed heartily, and a reporter for a morning paper entering, the *Post* man promised to meet the general on the boat and withdrew, perfectly satisfied with the result of his *tete-a-tete* with the distinguished officer.

FOR THE LADIES.

O how shocking! Our Anne Louisa Cary swam out, at Long Branch, the other day, and put her arms around a buoy.

Ladies are said to be abandoning newspaper bustles, and if anybody don't believe it, he can examine and see for himself.

The ladies of Troy have organized a boat club. The uniform is a neat white waist and a broad-brimmed hat. The club is known as "Wally-Wally."

The ladies of Savannah have formed a society, no member of which is to wear any dress costing more than 25 cents per yard. But then the trimmings?

We are told that the pull-back dresses are the prettiest style since Eve first made her appearance in Eden. At first glance this is fair, and we never permit ourselves more than a glance at a time.

Rugs for phaetons, for the bedside, for parquet floors, and to spread on piazzas, are made of heavy burlap canvas, either gray or brown, wrought in showy patterns in mammoth cross-stitches. Shaded wools, floss, and the canvas are furnished with the pattern begun just as it must be carried out.

Needlewomen in France who prepare fine lingerie are using a great deal of old-fashioned hemstitching for the cuffs, collars and handkerchiefs that will be worn next winter. Ladies who have learned these odd and pretty stitches from their grandmothers can now use them for ornamenting their own lingerie.

The girls of Ithaca, New York, where the Cornell university is located, are so wild on the subject of the regatta victory of the university crew that they have given the name of "Itha-carnelian" to the sritped stockings they wear—carnelian being the color worn by the Cornell crew. This is carrying their enthusiasm to the extreme.

A lady at the seaside writes: "No beauty is embellished by a parcel of wet rags clinging to her, and though Venus rising from the waves would do very well, Venus rising from the waves holding up a gown before, and pulling it down behind, with an oil-silk cap on her beautiful head, surmounted by a 25 cent straw hat, is anything but an object for her adorers to contemplate with satisfaction."

MILITARY NOTES.

So much of the term of imprisonment of Thomas Coffee, general prisoner, Fort Canby, Cape Hancock, W. T.,—awarded by general order No. 30, series of 1874, which imposed confinement at hard labor for one year—as remains unexpired the 6th proximo, on the recommendation of his post commander, for good conduct while undergoing sentence, is remitted, and he will be set at liberty.

A board of officers to consist of Major Elisha J. Baily, surgeon, medical director; Major R. H. Alexander, surgeon; Major Charles H. Alden, surgeon, will assemble at Fort Walla Walla, W. T., on Monday, August 30, 1875, at 10 o'clock A. M., or as soon thereafter as practicable, to thoroughly investigate and report upon the sanitary condition of that post. Should the board find that the post is not in a thoroughly healthful condition, the causes thereof will be reported, as well as the changes necessary to be made to remedy the evil. Special attention is invited to communication, dated August 16, 1875, from headquarters military division of the Pacific, upon this subject, which communication is referred to the board.

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NOTICE TO STOCKHOLDERS.
THE REGULAR ANNUAL MEETING OF THE Stockholders of the Oregon Central Pacific Railway Company will be held in the city of Portland, Oregon, at the Office of Gibbs & Hughes, on Saturday, the 18th day of September, A. D. 1875.
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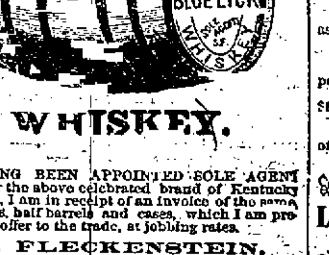

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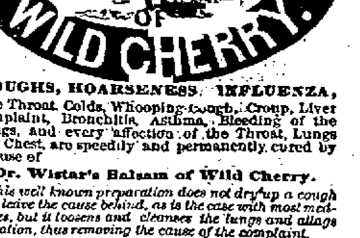

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SATURDAY MORNING, AUGUST 28, 1875.

GOOD-NIGHT AND GOOD-MORNING.

A fair little girl sat under a tree,
Sewing as long as her eyes could see;
Then smoothed her work, and folded it right;
And said, "Dear work! good-night! good-night!"

Such a number of rooks came over her head,
Crying, "Caw! caw!" on their way to bed;
She said, as she watched their curious flight,
"Little black things! good-night! good-night!"

The horses neighed and the oxen lowed;
The sheep's "Bleat! bleat!" came over the road;
All seeming to say, with a queer delight,
"Good little girl! good-night! good-night!"

She did not say to the sun, "Good-night,"
Though she saw him there, like a ball of light!
For she knew he had God's own time to keep
All over the world, and never could sleep.

The tall pink foxglove bowed his head—
The violets courtesied and went to bed;
And good little Lucy tied up her hair
And said on her knees her favorite prayer.

And while on her pillow she softly lay,
She knew nothing more till again it was day;
And all things said to the beautiful sun,
"Good-morning! good-morning! our work has begun!"

THE PRICE OF A LOVE LETTER.

[From Frazer's Magazine.]

The Cappellano, besides being a tiller of the soil, a curate, and a schoolmaster, is likewise the *scrivano* or letter-writer of the neighborhood. Teresina climbs the broken stair without the house, tapping softly at a window of the second story as she passed; there is a light burning in this window; then she waits on the balcony. "Oh, good evening, my girl," says the little priest as he opens the door, for he has no regular servant, as his more affluent master only a little girl who comes in daily to cook a little, and to clean still less. "And what may your business be with me so late of an evening? It is far from San Fedele."

"I have a letter to write, Signor Cappellano," replies the girl. "A letter that should have been sent some days ago, only the work and the *feste* have come in the way."

"Very good, Teresina mia; come forward, and seat thyself, till I hear on what matter is thy correspondence." The *scribano* knows it well enough, but he must have his joke.

Teresina laughs a little, consciously, and makes as though she would turn her head, but she speaks up bravely, for the time is short.

"And it is a letter to a gallant, Signor Cappellano," says she. "What else should it be, when a pretty girl like me comes to you at this hour of night? And I would that you would hasten, for I must be home again, and that quickly."

Teresina has a blooming, winsome face, and gray eyes that are soft and shady, and crisply waving hair; she has full lips, too, and lovely rows of white, gleaming teeth, and she laughs as she says this, and pulls a letter from her pocket.

"This is the one which he wrote to me," she continues. "Perhaps you may like to see it, that you may know the style that will fit him best."

"No, no, my daughter; I have written many a love letter, and can trust to my own sense," grumbles the scrivano, as he gets out the pens and paper, for he has his own well-worn phrases ready flowing to hand, and would be greatly discomfited at having to invent any new ones. He seats himself at the table, puts on his spectacles, smooths the *sheet of paper, and, dipping his pen in the* ink, glances up at the fair girl for her instructions. She meanwhile stands awkwardly before him, smiling to herself, and ejaculating, beneath her breath, as she twirls her apron mechanically round her finger and thumb.

"But I never said it was a love letter," she says at last, laughing again.

"Eh; well, well, my daughter. A letter to a gallant, then. What matter, it's all the same? Tell me his name, and whether you mean to have him, then leave the rest to me."

"But no, Signor Cappellano," remonstrated the damsel eagerly; "it is not just so. You must understand the affair." And she comes closer to the table, for Teresina wants to have a finger in the matter herself.

"You see," she goes on, "the young man is rich and fine, they tell me, and a good match for me, a poor *contadina*, and I don't want to send him quite away. But, then, I have never seen him, and how can I tell if he will please me or no? Now, you, who know the Latin, and are fine and wise, you can put it grandly what I mean."

"Yes, yes, my daughter, surely; so tell me what to write first."

"Well, first you shall put," and Teresina fiddles again with her apron, "you shall put—that I have received his letter," she blurts forth, as though struck with a good and sudden thought.

The fine steel pen proceeds to work, and makes a few fine flourishes on the pink paper, while the girl looks on eager and intent.

"That I have written," says the scrivano at last. "What next?"

"And next, next! You shall put that he does too much honor to a poor peasant girl such as I." Again the pen moved warily over the paper, and this sentence takes long to indite, for it can be inflated with many a fine word and sentiment; but in time the scrivano looks up for fresh matter. Poor Teresina! She is sorely perplexed, indeed.

"But, vossignoria, who knows Latin," says she again, "can you not put together a fine letter?"

"That can I do, my daughter; but do you wish me to say he shall come to see you or not?"

"Tell him that there is a fair at San Stefano, and that he might come to see; but say I know not if I shall be there—you understand?"

The scrivano hums and haws. This letter is a fairly hard one to write. It is easy enough when he has to write but a love letter. One copy does for the whole village. The boys or girls falter out coyly their little tender sentiments, and down they go on paper, mashed into a smooth jelly, and about as unlike as possible to the simple and hearty phrases which have been dictated. What matter! They cannot read, and there are plenty of flourishes. Who could say they are not love letters? But what scrivano was ever taxed with so tangible and yet so intangible a task as this?"

"It's not the fairest truth, that, eh, my girl?" he remonstrates feebly, in answer to her last request. Nevertheless, something he writes on the paper. Poor, credulous Teresina.

"I don't want much more written," says she now, thinking of her quatrini.

But the priest means to earn something more yet out of this weary letter.

"You have said nothing hitherto," he complains. "Poor young man! He won't know if you intend to have him or no. One must give him at least to understand if you mean to look favorably on his suit or no."

"But if I don't know myself?"

"Eh, eh, per Bacco, what is to be done then?"

There is a long pause. The scrivano's pen glides cunningly over the sheet; it forms capital letters and flourishes; it reaches the bottom of the page, and then he takes the sand box to sprinkle it over. Teresina has been looking on gloomily. She has been watching her little earnings ebb sadly away with all those lines and strokes and dots, and yet it seems as though she were to get no good out of this letter. She is very sore and angry.

"Is there anything more?" said the little man, at last, in a provokingly mild tone.

"No, per Bacco, there is no more. Now, is not that enough?" she mutters very crossly.

"Eh; Holy Virgin! say what you will, I care not. For the rest, so long as you make it fine, he will not understand much of what you mean, unless he is more of an ass than I take him for. Give here," she concludes, petulantly, "till I put on my cross."

And the letter is sanded again, sealed and addressed, and Teresina pulls out her silken netted purse.

"How much?" she asks curtly.

"Well, my daughter, for a love letter so long and so well written, you will give me a franc—and, more, two soldi for the paper and sand."

"Oh, I believe you. You may keep your fine letter many a day before I give you a franc for it. Ten *soldi*."

"Eh, my child, you dream! Ten *soldi*! I might have made two *Spirito Santo's* in the time. Impossible! Eighteen!"

"Nevermore," declares Teresina, staunchly. "Before I pay you eighteen *soldi* I take the letter to some one who knows how to read, and I make myself be told if you have said what I requested."

The poor *scrivano* begins to get frightened. What would this bode? He might never write a letter again. "*Orsu*, make it fifteen *soldi*," he pleaded.

And long and hotly they wrangled ere the price can be fixed between them. But at last Teresina triumphs, and carries off the letter, and she has paid no more than her ten *soldi*. The *scrivano* is sorely discomfited. Who would have thought of meeting a girl so obstinate; and over a love letter!

FINANCE AND COMMERCE.

Financial.

FRIDAY EVENING, August 27, 1875.

Gold in New York, 113⅜@½.

Legal Tenders in Portland—buying, 87; selling 88.

Coin Exchange on San Francisco at par.

Currency Exchange on San Francisco ½ per cent. premium.

Coin Exchange on New York ¾ per cent. premium.

Currency Exchange on New York ½ per cent. premium.

Telegraphic transfers on New York 1 per cent. premium.

Gold Bars 750 par.

The suspension of the Bank of California was the only topic to-day in trade circles. Business which, during the earlier part of the week, has shown no symptoms of activity, became depressed and better news will have to be received before commercial affairs show a settled aspect. That other banks in San Francisco should, for their own protection, have deemed it advisable to close their doors is not to be wondered at. The proceeding is in itself commendable, as being calculated to inure to the benefit of the public, but whether it will also have the tendency to bring about a resumption of business on the part of the Bank of California, as some persons have been inclined to imagine, may be regarded, in the view of the latest developments, as very doubtful. The suicide of Mr. Ralston is a tragic feature in this great commercial disaster. That the rash act was committed with deliberation will not be admitted by any one. The probability is that the president of the institution has taken his life in a fit of insanity. The suspension of an institution with the influence which belonged to that in which Mr. Ralston had the leading position seems to have affected his mind from the beginning. The answers he gave to the questions that were put to him on Thursday afternoon are of a wild and reckless character, and such as might be expected from a man unable to take a calm view of a disastrous situation. At the same time, the suicide of Mr. Ralston is likely to increase the commercial panic of which San Francisco is now the scene. News of the act did not reach this city until too late in the afternoon to have any effect upon the market, but had it come during business hours it could hardly have made commercial matters duller than they were found to be. There was no change worth noting in the prices of staples, but the reason was simply because there were no transactions. Nothing will be done to any extent in the way of purchases until the panic in San Francisco subsides. Beyond a dull and depressed market, however, this city will suffer but little from the crash. There are some firms that were largely interested in the California Bank, but they are hopeful in the official assurance that the creditors of the institution will be paid cent for cent. Our local banks are not affected by the failures. Ladd & Tilton have had at times heavy transactions with the Bank of California, but the business they had been doing with this institution just prior to the failure was lighter than it had been for years past. Their announcement that they had made arrangements whereby their paper in San Francisco will be honored, was hailed as cheering news alongside of the gloomy items that came over the wires.

In the wheat market the effect will be a winding up of the business on hand and a cessation of operations for a time. Buyers say they can afford to be patient. Business telegrams came through worded almost alike, "Money tight and wheat market unsettled."

The arrival of the traders with the Sandwich Islands is anxiously expected, the market being depleted of Island sugars. The Mattie Macleay and the Falkinburg are both due. They bring full cargoes. It seems, however, that the expectation, based upon an extension of the Island sugar trade, is not likely to be realized, if a correspondent of the *Pacific Commercial Advertiser* is to be considered as an authority. He says that no more sugar can be sent to market than at present, for the reason that the plantations cannot be extended for want of labor. There is considerable suitable land, but it must lie idle for want of laborers. The natives are decreasing in numbers, and do not like to work on the plantations unless compelled by want. Laborers must be got from America or Europe, as the natives all seek to be tillers of their own land, even on a small scale, and do not desire to be mere laborers. In the agricultural parts of the Islands, a small farmer class is scarcely possible. On the sugar plantations there can only be the white manager, the superintendent and the laborers. White men might raise rice, but the employment is unhealthy and the rice lands limited in extent. They might raise coffee, but for a disease called the coffee blight; but even this would not relieve the chief industry—sugar-making. The writer suggests the employment of laborers from India, if a treaty to that end can be effected with England, or a great extension of the present importation of laborers from Japan and China; but he thinks the present wages—$12 per month with board—would be prohibitive. He thinks the best course, after all, is to provide for a systematic immigration of Chinese and Japanese with their families. Of course, he would expect a reduction of wages, as he thinks the planter cannot pay $12 per month. It is doubtful whether Chinamen or Japanese will work even for that price, when they can get twice or three times as much in California.

Home Produce Market.

WHEAT—Nothing doing and no transactions expected until the commercial atmosphere clears. The old quotations remain, merely to indicate a price—namely, $1 80.

FLOUR—Supplies are generally light, although sufficient to accommodate demands, which are mainly from California and the Sound. A good market in San Francisco has stimulated exports in that direction. Prices remain at $6 ₱ bbl for standard extras, $5 50 for good outside and country brands, and $5 for superfine.

OATS—Late advices indicate that the crop will not show any marked improvement on that of last year. The crop will not be so short, taking the larger acreage into consideration, but the yield per acre will be about the same. Exportations are light, and receipts are more than equal to the demand. The market may be quoted at 55c ₱ bushel sacked.

MILL FEED—There is no active demand now and with light receipts the trade is quite dull. We quote jobbing prices, $16@17 ₱ ton for bran, $22 50 @25 for shorts, and $28@30 for chops, middlings, etc. Oil meal, $33.

BACON—The supply is not so large, and with a falling off in receipts prices are advancing, and quotations are now furnished at 12½@13c ₱ lb for sides, 15@16c for hams, and 8@9c for shoulders.

LARD—The supply is not excessive and quotations are firm at 15@16c per lb in kegs or tins.

BUTTER—In demand, the range being from 25c 30c. In kegs we quote extra at 22@25c ₱ lb in jobbing lots.

EGGS—The market is dull, with the price down to 30c ₱ doz.

CHICKENS—Good chickens are in demand at $4 50@4 75 ₱ doz for full grown, and for spring from $2@3 50, according to size and quality.

MUTTON SHEEP—A light demand rules at from $2@2 75 ₱ head.

DRESSED HOGS—Trade dull at from 5½@6¼c ₱ lb.

HIDES AND FURS—There is quite an active trade for the season, and we quote best selected hides at 15c ₱ lb; culls, ⅓ off; green, 6c; elk, 18@20c ₱ lb for dried, and 50@75c each; green; mink skins, $1 50 each; otter, $1@5 each; beaver, 75c@$1.

WOOL—Each outgoing steamer takes a supply to San Francisco. Receipts are not heavy and all that is offering finds a ready market. The quotations range from 14@21c for Eastern Oregon and 20@25 for Valley.

Shipping Intelligence.

The Br. bark Casma is about ready to receive her cargo and will probably have it all on board by the middle of next week.

The Am. ship Wm. Besse is still busy unloading. She is transferring the railroad iron for Walla Walla to the barge Autocrat.

The Pacific Mail Company's steamer City of Panama has been placed on their northern route, and will be the next steamer for Nanaimo and Victoria, sailing thence to-day from San Francisco.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 26.—Arrived—Bk Gen. Cobb, Seabeck; sch Norwester, Chetcoe; bk Abby Holmes, Newcastle, N. S. W.

Sailed—Bk Rival, Astoria; bk Fresno, Port Townsend; brig Hazard, Port Townsend; ship Dashing Wave, Tacoma; sch Clara Light, Coos Bay; bk Northwest, Port Madison; bk Isaac Jeans, Seabeck; bk Aurcola, Seattle; bk Forest Queen, Port Ludlow.

San Francisco Markets.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 27.—Flour—Jobing rates for extra $6 75@7.

Wheat—Nothing doing to-day; extremes, $2 10@$2 75.

Barley—Coast feed, $1 45; new, brewing, $1 52½@1 55.

Oats—Good feed, $1 85; choice Surprise, $2 12½.

Corn—Yellow and white, $1 40.

Rye—Common, $1 35.

Hay—$12@18.

Potatoes—Halfmoon Bay and Early Rose, $1 15@$1 40; sweet, $1 50.

ADVERTISED LETTERS.

LIST OF LETTERS REMAINING IN POSTOFFICE at Portland, county of Multnomah, Oregon, Aug. 28, 1875. Persons calling for these letters must give the date on which they are advertised.

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Beck, Miss Ella
Bennington, Mrs Mary
Brown, Mrs
Cathen, Mrs Ellen
Carnel, Mrs
Cofer, Mrs M E
Cutting, Mrs M
Degraw, Mrs Mary
Degraw, Mrs Anna
Day, Mrs Sarah
Elliott, Miss Laura
Goodell, Mrs Eunice
Gilihan, Miss Isabella
Harris, Miss Irene
Hall, Miss Anna P
Hill, Mrs E B
Jacob, Miss Susan
Keiler, Mrs Anna
King, Mrs Melinda
Lundberg, Miss Mary
Manning, Mrs F M
Manning, Mrs Louisa
McNulty, Mrs Maria
Morgan, Miss Lucinda
Miller, Miss N
Pray, Mrs E E
Richie, Mrs Jos
Rogers, Mrs J
Roland, Mrs Millie
Roberts, Mrs Laura
Seuland, Mrs Mary
Schayfield, Miss Cora
Scammon, Miss Gertrude
Smith, Mrs Julia A
Smith, Miss Mollie
Stone, Mrs Sarah
Taylor, Mary A
Verlley, Mrs V
Walker, Mrs Rachel F

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Allen, Albert
Blaine, F
Blackhurst, E
Bloom, O
Baker, E S
Bauman, J
Barclay, C W
Barnell, D D
Benton, N
Boyd, Frank
Brady, J R
Braynard, J
Bradley, John
Cary, Michael
Carleton, F S J
Crone, T W
Grow, J F
Creitz, W F
Clark, Wm
Chenesy, E
Cullen, Michael
Degraw, Byron
Downing, John
Deippe, H
Erickson, Ole
Ennis, B
Fairchilds, Jos
Freeman, Jos
Gerdrier, Johann
Garwood, Thos
Goodrich, T C
Gillhooly, John
Hogan, D C
Harris, R D
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Heim, F
Holman, Wm
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Humphrey, C H
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Jordan, Archal'ns
Jesse, W W
Jenkins, R A
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Kendle, Jas
Kerr, Wm H
Kraus, Mr
Lubky, Aug
Landers, R
Logan, David
Lowes, John
Luis, Loria
Myer, Otto
Marty, V
Matthews, W R
Matern, F C
McEnhill, Peter
McGregor, Robt
Muckle, Wash'n
Murphy, O G
Nicoll, Rich'd
Orchard, George
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Robertson, Geo W
Robberson, Ben't
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Snook, C W
Skidmore, J N
Snyder, J F
Shertliff, Tom
Smith, T C
Smith, Daniel S
Stevenson, Rich'd
Tigart, W
Telos, T W
Thompson, John
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East Portland, August 11, 1875. au11d1m

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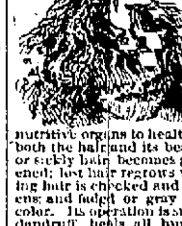

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U. S. ENGINEER OFFICE,
Portland, Oregon, Aug. 25, 1875.

SEALED PROPOSALS, IN DUPLICATE, WILL be received at this office until 12 M. on the 25th day of September, 1875, for the improvement of the Upper Columbia river, at each of the following points:

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A CARD.

EUREKA, W. T., Aug. 12, 1875.

My attention has been called to an item published in the *Evening Journal*, of August 10th, under the head of "POISONED BY EATING CANNED SALMON," which reflects upon me, as the salmon in question is said to be the "Star Brand," from my fishery. The item states that when the can was first opened the persons ate of its contents without unpleasant results. The can remained open two days, when the same persons again partook of the fish, and soon after they began purging, as if poisoned, etc. This is not to be wondered at, as a can of any kind of canned goods will commence fermenting in a very short time after being opened, and allowing the air to come in contact with it, more particularly canned fish. The very fact that the parties eat from the can on its first being opened proves that the salmon was good, and that they could only blame themselves for allowing it to stand long enough to spoil before eating it. Any fish will spoil in warm weather, sometimes in twenty-four hours, according to the warmth of the climate it is exposed in. In some climates it will keep after being opened for several days, if in winter time, but the general supposition is that when a party opens a can of fish that they will follow the directions on label, and not open until they require to use it, and then if they follow these directions, I desire that they first cut the top entirely out of the can, then place it in a dish partly filled with boiling water, so the water will come up two-thirds to the top of the can, and let the can stand until the fish is thoroughly heated through; when they will empty it out on a dish to be served from table, which will avoid breaking the fish, as in doing this it comes out in a solid lump, and by covering it with a nice sauce makes a fine and wholesome dish. If wanted cold, it is expected that any one would empty the fish out of the can into a vegetable dish and pour vinegar on it, if desired this way, but it is not expected for any one to eat a little from the can and then let it spoil, expecting that it will keep any length of time after opening, and allow anyone to partake of at their pleasure. As regards using coloring or adulterating the fish in any way, I don't do anything of the kind, nor never did, nor never heard of any one who has ever done so. My fish come fresh and hard to the shop, and are canned at once, while fresh. After being nicely cleaned and cut up ready for the cans, and the cans are always washed before putting in any fish, the only thing put in is a little salt for seasoning. When the fish and salt are in the can it is then sealed up and cooked at once. Great injustice has been done me in publishing any such cards, and they should not have done so until they had proofs that I am guilty of so base an outrage.

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Said labor to be performed within the prison inclosure, and the convicts to be subject to the discipline and rules, viz: Seven working hours from October 1st, to April 1st and ten working hours from April 1st to October 1st; with entire exemption from labor each and every Saturday afternoon.

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W. H. WATKINDS,

Salem, Aug. 5, 1875.

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